

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN  
SOUTHERN DIVISION

JPMORGAN CHASE BANK, N.A.,

Plaintiff and Counter-Defendant,

Case No. 1:23-cv-1112

v.

HON. ROBERT J. JONKER

JOHN W. HIGGINS and MARTHA R. HIGGINS,

Defendants and Cross-Defendants; and

THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Defendant, Counter-Claimant and Cross-  
Claimant.

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**ORDER**

Defendants John and Martha Higgins move for extension of their Rule 26(a) disclosure deadline. ECF No. 77. The deadline of April 12, 2024, passed a month before the Higginses moved for the extension on May 13, 2024. The Court had set the April 12 deadline in a CMO entered January 31, 2024. ECF No. 29. There has been more than enough time for the Higginses to prepare meaningful Rule 26(a) disclosures. The Court does not find good cause for an extension under Rules 6(b)(1)(A) or 16(b)(4). Nor does the Court find any basis for excusable neglect under Rule 6(b)(1)(B) to justify relief requested more than a month after compliance was due.

Accordingly, the Motion is **DENIED**.

Dated: May 14, 2024

/s/ Robert J. Jonker

ROBERT J. JONKER

UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE